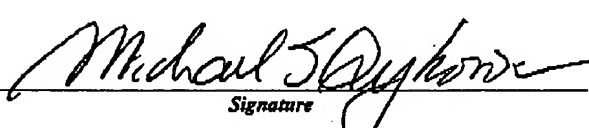


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)					Docket No. 121056-028	
In Re Application Of: Yasushi KOHNO						
Application No. 10/007,186	Filing Date November 5, 2001	Examiner Andrea Valentini	Customer No. 35684	Group Art Unit 3643	Confirmation No. 5700	
Invention: METHOD OF PREVENTING DEFECTIVE GERMINATION OR ROSETTE FORMATION OF SEED						
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>						
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>May 13, 2005</u> above-identified application. <i>Date</i>						
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months						
from: <u>August 13, 2005</u> <i>Date</i>		until: <u>September 13, 2005</u> <i>Date</i>				
The fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows:						
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-2136						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 12-2136						
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.						
 <i>Signature</i>			Dated: September 12, 2005			
Filed via facsimile transmission						
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